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In re Patent Application of:

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For: NICOTINAMIDE-BASED KINASE  
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Examiner: Patricia L. Morris

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein, mailed 11 January 2010, time for response to which was set to expire 11 April 2010. A petition for an extension of time of three (3) months until 11 July 2010 is attached hereto, along with a Petition to Revive due to unintentional abandonment, and the required fees. Applicants' representative never received the originally mailed Office action and became aware of it only after receiving a Notice of Abandonment on 6 August 2010.

Claims 1-4, the only claims considered, were rejected.

Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection, and the following amendment and discussion are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.